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SUBJECT: MAJOR-GENERAL RAIS ABIN AS UNEF COMMANDER

REF: USUN 5780

1. SYG WALDHEIM'S LETTER TO PRESIDENT OF SECURITY COUNCIL
ON JANUARY 7, 1977 STATED SYG'S INTENTION IF SC CONSENTS
TO APPOINT GENERAL ABIN (INDONESIA) AS COMMANDER OF UNEF.

2. TEXT OF LETTER AS FOLLOWS:

"I HAVE THE HONOR TO REFER TO THE UNITED NATIONS
EMERGENCY FORCE UNEF), ESTABLISHED IN PURSUANCE OF THE
SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS 340 (1973) AND 341 (1973).

"AS INDICATED IN MY LETTER OF 30 NOVEMBER 1976,
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LIEUTENANT-GENERAL BENGT LILJESTRAND RELINQUISHED THE
COMMAND OF UNEF ON 1 DECEMBER 1976. SINCE THAT TIME,
MAJOR-GENERAL RAIS ABIN, THE DEPUTY COMMANDER OF UNEF,
HAS BEEN OFFICIATING AS ACTING COMMANDER OF THE FORCE.

"FOLLOWING CONSULTATION WITH THE PARTIES CONCERNED,
IT IS MY INTENTION, IF THE SECURITY COUNCIL SO

CONSENTS, TO APPOINT GENERAL RAIS ABIN AS COMMANDER
OF UNEF.

"I SHOULD BE GRATEFUL IF YOU WOULD BRING THIS
MATTER TO THE ATTENTION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE
SECURITY COUNCIL. SCRANTON UNQUOTE ROBINSON

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